lieve that victory is in the air. [Applause.] I believe that the result of this convention as you go forth to the people of this State and country represents and promises a splendid victory in November. In behalf of the Democracy of Albany county, and I think I may safely say in behalf of the Democracy of the Third Judicial District, and in behalf of our organized Democracy in nearly all portions of the State, I present for this nomina-tion Donald Cady Herrick of the city of Al-[Great applause, cheers, waving of

CHEERS FOR HERRICK AND HILL. great outburst of cheers greeted the final words uttered by Mr. Hill for Justice Herrick. All the way back to his seat Mr. Hill was greeted with tremendous

In an instant Representative W. Bourke Cockran was on his feet and the very sight of him to the excited delegates and visitors was the inspiration for more rolling cheers This was a cheering convention. It wanted to cheer, and it did cheer, and there was no limit to the cheers. Mr. Cockran, up on the platform, received another ovation as he began his speech, which was to second the nomination of Justice Herrick. Mr. Cockran and Mr. Hill, while personally friendly, have seldom been in political accord, but it was apparent that all hatchets were buried. Mr. Cockran said:

BOURKE COCKRAN SECONDS HERRICK'S NOM-

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION:

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION: This is an extraordinary gathering, marked by extraordinary and unprecedented features. I never believed that I would be permitted to sit in a Democratic convention where there was no contest over the seats of the delegates. [Applause.] My first attempt at attending a Democratic convention was unsuccessful, [Laughter.] I was stopped at the threshold and all that I could do was to send in my good wishes for the success of the ticket. [Laughter.] I was stopped at the threshold and all that I could do was to send in my good wishes for the success of the ticket. [Laughter.] Yesterday we beheld for the first time the inspiring spectacle-of a convention harmonious as to its own composition. I confess that for a moment I was atraid the spectacle was almost too good to be true, that the spectacle of Democrats so very harmonious might indicate the fact that they had exhausted their energies in securing the preliminary agreement [laughter and applause], and I was relieved whelt the gentleman interested in the only proposed contest yesterday, announced well, hardly a contest—but just threw a brick or two into our meeting to show that if the Democrats, were not fighting, they had not forgotten how. [Laughter and applause.]

Yesterday when we separated the air was mot full of flying missiles. There were several mysterious hints around the sidewalks that indicated where missies might be found before this convention would get in session. There were many of us, I believe, who anticipated the preliminary discussions in the corridors would be carried on to this floor here and would behold again one of those distressing conflicts where Democrats exhausted their first energies on each other and were only able to bring tired muscles to the struggle with their adversaries. [Applause.]

But again we find that the unexpected has happened. We have a convention which will be harmonious to its very close. [Applause.]

Harmonious as to its composi same unanimity and enthusiasm in accepting the doctrine laid down from this platform by the temporary and permanent presiding officers. [Applause.]

selection of its candidates (applause), and the same unanimity and enthusiasm in accepting the doctrine laid down from this platform by the temporary and permanent presiding officers. [Applause]

I feel as if it were eminently an occasion for peace I confess that until yesterday I felt myself somewhat apart from the organization of the party at large I have been fighting in New England and in some other places and I have felt that there was a general impression among some leaders that perhaps I was too radical in expressing the Democratic faith, and that some Democratic felt that I was several lengths ahead of the party. The interim between us was productive of a peculiar chill, the first elements of which were manifest in my spinal column. [Laughter and applause]

It seemed as if the party was anxious to go to this campaign on the assumption that we were not to seriously emphasize our opposition to the common enemy. that we should minimize that and rather ask success, not in the strength of our position, but upon the superiority of our good looks. [Applause and laughter.] I rejoiced when the distinguished temporary presiding officer took ground just as distinct and just as convincing as any that I have ever occupied, and that we are not to be ashamed of these convincing as any that I have ever occupied, and that we are not to be ashamed of these convincing as any that I have ever occupied, and that we are not to be ashamed of these convincing as any that I have ever occupied, and that we are not to be ashamed of these convincing as any that I have ever occupied, and that we are not to be of a maintaining democratic institutions in their integrity and in their purity.

We are unanimous, then, upon three points—unanimous as to the choice of our candidates—and I am here on behalf of an organization which ever vesterday foresaw conflict and the difficulties which conflict involves. To-day all the clouds are dispolited and we behold the opportunity to go forth and fight and the difficulties which conflict involves.

There were more cheers for Mr. Cockran as he left the platform to resume his sent in the Tammany delegation, and then Luke D. Stapleton of Brooklyn, who was to have made the nominating speech for Grout. pranced to the platform and made the second seconding speech for Herrick. He

LUKE D. STAPLETON SECONDS HERRICK'S

NOMINATION MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION: Graft has so flourished and representative manhood ebbed so low that at Saratoga last week every Republican whose political importance was not circumscribed by county lines hastened to avoid the distinction of a nomination of his party for the office of Governor of the Empire State. There is no Democrat whose conspicuous abilities have contributed to the high fame of that party in this State but would accept the nomination of this convention as a decoration of honor and consider it but the necessary preliminary to a triumphant election at the hands of the people of the State. [Appluse.]

the hands of the people of the State. [Applause.]

In response to the united demand of an earnest and hopeful Democracy and outraged and anary citizenry that all personal ambitions be subpressed, that all claims be reserved to the end that the differences of leaders be restrained, that all claims be reserved to the end that the growing infamy of personal and official pillage and plunder, which no word but Odellism can nittingly describe, represented in this village last week by the selection of an Odell fledging for the office of Governor of the Empire State, should be crushingly defeated at the polls by the sturdiest champion of the opposite view of public trust in all the ranks of civic morality lapplause), we of Kings county, behind our sagacious and incomparable leader, believed that in giving you the chief of our chieftains, the most loyal of our conspicuous and distinguished Democracy, the most constructive of our statesmen, we would be doing a service to the Democracy of the State.

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But the Democracy, "responsive to the decent sentiment of the Empire State, having taken this position, the two great leaders of the two great militant political Democratic organizations in New York city believe that in order to show their honesty and good will it becomes their duty to stand on either side of the great Democrat who personifles the Democratic position and to join him in nominating the next Governor of the State of New York. Great applause, We of Kings county believed we had the best candidate, but out of conference has come a situation satisfactory, not only to the entire party, but challenging the admiration of the entire people.

We believe that we do ourselves honor and We believe that we do ourselves honor and hat we contribute to the success in November by seconding the nomination of that renember the second that we contribute to the success in November by seconding the nomination of that reception as he went to the platform to put in nomination chief Judge Edgar M. Cullenging a hopeful present with a great and plorious past, a man who will in history take his place besides those great names that have contributed to the matchless grandeur after the penceracy of the Empire State, and we heartly second the nomination of Judge. Werner for Associate Judge, which made their nominations unanimous.

Mr. Stanleton's utterances were wildly We believe that we do ourselves honor and that we contribute to the success in November by seconding the nomination of that trenchant representative of oid fashiened Demograey, uncorrupted and incorruptible, linking a hopeful present with a great and glorious past, a man who will in history take his place besides those great names that have contributed to the matchless grandeur of the Democracy of the Empire State, and we heartily second the nomination of Judge Herrick of the county of Albany. [Applause.]

Mr. Stanleton's utterances were wildly

received, and the cheering was led by Sena-tor McCarren at the head of the Kings county delegation.

ROCKWELL SPEAKS FOR HERRICK. Nockwell speaks for Herrick.

Next in order came Hosea H. Rockwell of Chemung, who was to have made the nominating speech for Stanchfield, and Mr. Rockwell was also greeted with furious plaudits. He told of the harmony in the Democratic party and wound up by declaring that he was not only glad, but honored to second the nomination of Justice Herrick.

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Justice Herrick.
George Raines pointed out that according to law the suggestion of Mr. Cockran that Justice Herrick be nominated by acclamation could not be carried out, so Mr. Raines suggested that the secretary of the convention cast one ballot to make Justice Herrick's nomination unanimous, and this way done.

It was then time to nominate a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor. Only one name had been on the lips of the delegates all the morning, that of Representative Francis Burton Harrison of New York city, and on the roll call, Albany county giving way to New York county, Senator Thomas Francis Grady of Tammany was quickly upon the platform facing a cheering audience and beginning his speech putting Mr. Harrison in nomination for Lieutenant-

Senator Grady has been one of the flercest factional orators in Democratic State conventions since 1879. He hasn't known what it was to attend a Democratic State convention without making half a dozen speeches of the bitterest factional character. Senator Grady has been known all over the country as the orator always put forward by Tammany when a rough situation called for stout language. His utterances to-day were mellifluous and happy and he got a great welcome. He said: SENATOR GRADY'S SPEECH NOMINATING HAR-

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I need not say to you as a man of peace laughter and applause! that the harmony of the occasion is no surprise to me. During all the years that I have stood one side and of the occasion is no surprise to me. During all the years that I have stood one side and seen you quarrel among yourselves [more laughter]. I was convinced the time would come when you would get together [applause], and I am glad that you have chosen this occasion for the reunion. By the favor of my brethren from Albany county, and responding to the undeserved honor conferred upon me by the delegation from New York county, I take the platform now to contribute something to the excellent work thus far accomplished.

You have nominated for the office of Governor a veteran Democrat, a man who can look back upon years of service, creditable and effective service, to the Democratic party, as man whose years have brought to him the wisdom necessary in that greater and exalted executive office, a man who has always had the courage to deal with situations that require a stout heart, a man who can be depended upon to put a stop to the graft at the Streepenic or the first had to the office.

had the courage to deal with situations that require a stout heart, a man who can be depended upon to put a stop to the graft at the State capitol and bring back to the office of Governor its ancient dignity and honor. You are celebrating a reunion of the party in this State. It is well, then, that every element of our party shall have representation upon your ticket.

Our candidate for the Presidency has attracted to his support not only the independent vote that can be depended upon to rebuke mistakes of party applause), but he has done more, he has called to the Democratic standard the young men of the nation who desire that this country shall remain a republic (applause) and that its flag shall represent liberty and freedom and the sovereign rights of citizenship wherever it waves and claim respect (applause). It is proper that upon your ticket in this, the home State of the candidate for President, there should be represented all the Democratic voices, and its to name such a man that I appear before you and crave your attention. on and crave your attention. For the office of Lieutenant-Governor, next

you and crave your attention.

For the office of Lieutenant-Governor, next is dignity and in honor only to the governorship itself. I name Francis Burton Harrison of New York. (Orent applause. He is a Democrat by inheritance and conviction. He represents the intelligent young Democracy of the nation. (Applause. Possessed of the highest conception of the duties and responsibilities of the citizenship, he has accepted at great personal sacrifice every duty and responsibility imposed on him by his party associates. In his short career he has won not only the respect and confidence but the admiration of his fellow Democrats throughout the land. He would fil acceptably any office within the git of the people of this State, and in presiding over the deliberations of the Senate of the State of New York he will exemplify in his own life the ideals to which the public will have their servants dedicate their official lives. Not now will 4 detain you with an extended review of his merits. You have become acquainted with his worth in the excellent service he is now rendering the Democracy of the State and Nation.

We can be proud of our candidate for President. We have much to be thankful for that we can offer the people of New York the services of Judge Herrick as Governor (applause), and I know of no possible act of his convention that would be more acceptable to the party, more acceptable to the people, that will tend more to Democratic success, than to give the second place upon your ticket to Francis Burton Harrison of the county of New York. (Applause.)

Then came Charles N. Bulger of Oswego, who himself in Democratic State conven-tions has soundly berated Tammany and made fierce personal onslaughts on its distinguished chieftains. But Judge Bulger to-day was all honey and harmony, and in a delightful speech, in which he seconded the nomination of Representative Harrison, Judge Bulger came in for a hearty personal tribute of applause.

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BULGER SECONDS HARRISON'S NOMINATION.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION: Little did I think when I came into this hall this morning that it would be entirely safe for me to claim the attention of my fellow Democrats in the manner in which I now have the temerity to claim that attention for a few moments. I have had the unfortunate—no, I withdraw that word—I have had the fortunate habit through many years to follow my distinguished friend. Senator Grady, from New York. [Laughter and applause.] When I found that he came to this platform to add his mite to the harmony of this atterly harmonious occasion I was unable to resist the temptation to follow him once more. [Applause.] Moreover, when I heard him pronounce the name of that gallant young Democrat who represents not only the aspirations and ideals of the great Democratic organization of Manhattan or of Kings, but the best ideals of the great Democratic organization of behalf of that great Democratic organization of the great Democratic organization of behalf of that great Democracy scattered with organizations from Niagara to Plattsburg to rise on their behalf and second the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor of Francis Burton Harrison. [Applause.]

I predict that the young men of the Democratic party of the State will hail his presence everywhere in this State campaign with enthusiasm and delight and will follow his leadership gladly, so there will come to us a force which we have not had acting with us in recent years. The young men of the party will vie with each other in adding their mite and their vote to the great triumphant, irresistible vote which means victory on the 8th of November next. I therefore second most heartily the nomination of Lieutenant-Governor. [Applause.] BULGER SECONDS HARRISON'S NOMINATION.

Governor. [Applause.] THE TICKET COMPLETED.

The ticket was then completed as follows: George Raines of Rochester nominated John Pallace, Jr., of Brockport, Monroe county, for Secretary of State. Mr. Raines in his speech paid a personal tribute to Mr. Hill and referred to the history of the Republican party in the State as beginning with the great Willam H. Seward "and ending with Odell."

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Mr. Mott of Chautauqua seconded Mr. Pallace's nomination.

D. B. Luccy of St. Lawrence county nominated ex-Mayor George Hall of Ogdensburg for Comptroller, and Fred C. Schraub of Lewis county and Henry E. Jackson of Broome seconded Mr. Hall's nomination.

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James J. Barrett of Onondaga county nominated William Muench of Syracuse for State Treasurer, and the nomination was seconded by F. C. Schirmer of Westchester and John W. Fisher of Erie county. George H. Kennedy of Buffalo nominated John Cunnen of Buffalo for a second term as Attorney-General, and Col. William G. Rice of Allsany seconded the nomination.

of Albany seconded the nomination.

John D. McMahon of Rome pominated Thomas H. Stryker of Rome, Oneida county, for State Engineer and Surveyor, and Elliot Danforth of Chenango seconded the

nomination.

All the nominating speeches were replete with stern language against Governor-Chairman Odell and Odellism, and so were

CULLEN AND WERNER NOMINATED.

cerning Chief Judge Cullen and Judge Werner, which called for a non-partisan judiciary, recalled the fight in his district where an independent for Supreme Court Justice, indersed by the Democrats, had carried the district by a plurality of 10,000, while even Gov. Odell had been able to carry it at the same time by a plurality of only 18,000.

18,000.

The convention took no action on the resolution which was presented at the spring convention suggesting that the name of a candidate for United States Senator be presented at this time.

CHEERS FOR HERBICK AND HARRISON. The convention adjourned at 3:30. The Democrats left the convention hall cheer-The convention adjourned at 3:30. The Democrats left the convention hall cheering for Herrick and Harrison. They said that they had nominated a clean and honest ticket and one that would appeal not only to the Democrats of the State, but to the independents and the Republicans who are opposed to Governor-Chairman Odell and Odellism. They said that Justice Herrick was a dignified and forcible speaker and that he would present the issues of the campaign to all of the people in the State. They went on and declared that Representative Harrison of New York city would bring it home to the young men of the State that they could not support a ticket which was smirched by Governor-Chairman Odell's tag. Great things are expected of Justice Herrick appealing to the old-time Democrats of the party and Mr. Harrison to the younger element of the party and to all young men who have been taught to believe that their public servants must be honest men.

The difference between the Democratic State convention when it adjourned this afternoon and that of the Republican State convention when it adjourned here last week is that the Democrats are enthusiastic and harmonious and eager for the battle, while the Republicans were depressed and disturbed and on the defensive.

NAMED IN MINNESOTA. Nominations to Congress by Both Parties

by Primary Elections. St. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 21.-Nine Republican and nine Democratic nominations for Congress were made by primary election vesterday. Returns completed this afternoon show the renomination of eight of the present Republican members and of former Congressman Fletcher. The names of the nominees follow with districts: Republican-First, James A. Tawney, Winona: Second. James T. McCleary, Mankato; Third, Charles R. Davis, St. Peter; Fourth, Frederick C. Stevens, St. Paul: Fifth, Loren Fletcher, Minneapolis; Sixth,

C. B. Buckman, Little Falls; Seventh, An-

drew J. Volstead, Granite Falls; Eighth,

Adam Bede, Duluth; Ninth, Halvor Steenerson, Crookston. Democrats--First, H. C. Nelson, Hayward; Second, George P. Jones, Jackson; Third, Joseph W. Cravens, Norwood: Fourth, no nomination; Fifth, result in doubt; Sixth, Cleve W. Vandyke, Alexandria; Seventh, J. H. Driscoll, Madison; Eighth, Hartin Hughes, Hibbing; Ninth, no nomination.

ALBANY DEMOCRATS UNITED. Justice Herrick's Nomination Heals All Factional Differences

SARATOGA, Sept. 21.—Although the Albany county delegation decided yesterday, by a vote of 11 to 1, to support Grout for Governor and give the unanimous vote of the delegation to Justice Herrick for the nomination of Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, State Committeeman McCabe of Albany and his associate delegates in the county left Saratoga to-night heartily glad that Justice Herrick had been nominated for Governor. The feud that had been going on between the Herrick Democrats and the Hill Democrats of the county for the last dozen years had become embarrassing to those participating in it and had resulted most disastrously for the Democratic party in the county. Many efforts have been made to get the two factions together. The nomination of Justice Herrick for Governor, according Mr. McCabe, will cement the factions and the warfare which has gone on, to the disaster of the Democrats and the benefit of the Republicans in the county, will case.

Mr. McCabe said that with a long pull and a strong pull Albany county can be put back in the Democratic column, and it is known that the friends of Justice Herrick and the friends of Mr. Hill are to put up a strong fight to that end. Mr. McCabe

said:
"While my Democratic friends in the county have been arrayed against the friends of Justice Herrick, the nomination convention has healed all differences. There are no more Herrick Democrats in the county and there are no more Hill Democrats in the county. We are just plain, simple Democrats, and we are all going home to work day and night for Herrick for Governor and the entire State

As soon as Justice Herrick was nominated unanimously for Governor, the Albany County Democratic Club, which was here to-day under the leadership of Mr. McCabe, immediately had its banner changed to "United Democracy county. For Governor—D. Cady Herrick," and the club marched to the train which was to take them to Albany, headed by a band, and cheering for Herrick.

JERSEY DEMOCRATS ORGANIZE. State League of Clubs Formed to Dis-

seminate Jeffersonian Principles. A State league of Democratic clubs in New Jersey was formed in Newark yes terday afternoon. Delegates were present from all parts of the State. They gathered during the morning at the Jeffersonian Club on West Park street, and when all but the Hudson county delegates had arrived, marched down Broad street to the City Hall, and at the Broad street station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey received 300 delegates from Hudson county The procession then marched to the Krueger Auditorium on Belmont avenue. Over the stage was this inscription: "Turn the spendthrifts out. Get close

to the people. They cast the votes." John Moody was made temporary chairman, and introduced William B. Gourley, chairman of the Democratic State committee, who explained the object of the new organization. He said one of its chief objects was to form clubs in all of the 1,200 election districts in the State.

The league is to be known as the New Jersey Democratic Association, and its objects as set forth by the committee on plan and scope are "to foster the formation of Democratic clubs and societies and to insure their active cooperation in dis-seminating Jeffersonian principles of gov-

Col. Edwin A. Stevens of Hoboken was elected permanent president. The other officers are: Vice-president, John L. Wynn of Passaic county; treasurer, Franklin H. Halliday of Essex; secretary, William S. McKeen of Essex;

Maliday of Essex; secretary, william S. McKean of Essex.
Charles C. Black, the Democratic candidate for Governor, was one of the chief speakers. He was received with marked enthusiasm. He talked about equal taxation and declared that the time had come when the railroads must be made to pay of approper tax in proportion to the value of proper tax in proportion to the value of their tremendous holdings in the State. United States Senator Asbury C. Latimer of South Carolina gave a hot talk, in which

he said harsh things about President Roose-velt. He said that he did not believe that there were twenty-five persons in either party-who really wanted him for President.

Candidate to Run Against Brackett SARATOGA, Sept. 21.—Patrick C. Condon. a machinist employed by the General Elechome is at Salem, Washington county, was this afternoon nominated by the Twenty-eighth Senate district Democratic convention for Senator. His competitor is Senator Edgar T. Brackett of this place, the Republican nominee.

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IT MAKES ODELLISM THE MAIN ISSUE OF THE CAMPAIGN. Charges Gross Extravagance and Waste and Says the Annual Appropriations

of \$26,041,200 Are the Largest in the State's History-Excise Reform. SARATOGA, Sept. 21 .-- The platform adopted by the Democratic State convention to-day

The Democrats of the Empire State proclaim anew their devotion to the principles of government which were enunciated by Thomas Jefferson, the founder of the Demo-cratic party, and make these declarations

cratic party, and make these declarations upon State issues:

The paramount and overshadowing issue in State affairs is between official honesty and official corruption. We see again before the bar of public judgment the one-man power that to-day dominates the Republican organization of New York State.

The people elected Benjamin B. Odell Jr., to be Governor. In palpable violation of his sworn obligation to be the impartial servant of the whole people, he has assumed to act as State chairman of a political machine. His present dual relation constitutes a public scandal and amounts to the grossest contempt of official duty in the history of the State.

ODELLISM MEANS EXTRAVAGANCE AND COR-

RUPTION. For the first time in its history the Empire State has a Governor whose personal integrity rests under widespread suspicion. He has surrounded himself by high officials and advisers under whose malign influence the public revenues of the State are largely diverted to wive to profit. Instead of being diverted to private profit. Instead of being opposed to extravagance and waste, the adopposed to extravagance and ministration has become the actual promoter ministration has become the public treasury of adroit schemes to loot the public treasury under the guise of law. The example set in State affairs extends to counties, cities, towns and villages under Republican machine control. Thus the corruption of a party too long continued in power threatens to lower the Empire State to the level of Republican Pennsylvania where the moneys of the taxpayers, exacted from their income and earnings, are transferred by political chicanery to the pockets of a ring of plunderers, who in turn yield a portion of their gains to per-petuate the political machine that supports

Prodigal and corrupt expenditures, devised to consume instead of to conserve public funds, have so swollen the cost of government that the party in power dare not levy a direct State tax to meet it, hence they resort to indirect taxation, in the hope

of deceiving the people.

Taxation, whether direct or indirect, is always a public burden, and however or wherever collected, its proceeds should be strictly devoted to public purposes instead

ENORMOUS APPROPRIATIONS The appropriations of the recent Legislature were the largest known in the history of the State, reaching the enormous total \$28.041,200. These appalling and unprecedented figures are the high water mark of increase in State expenditure during the four years of Gov. Odell's administration.

During the last year of Democratic administration the total appropriations of the

ministration the total appropriations of the State government amounted to \$15,713,578. The taxpayers of the State, and they com-prise every working man and woman within its limits, are invited to consider these figures, and then discover if they can any improvement in administration which would justify or explain the enormous increase in its cost. All legitimate and reasonable public improvements can be conducted within greatly reduced appropriations by applying to them the same care which able and enterprising business men apply to the conduct of private affairs.

CHARITIES UNDER ODELL. legislation passed at his instance by legislation passed at his instance for corrupt personal profit and party pur-poses a political machine has seized con-trol of the State charitable institutions and hospitals for the insane, in disregard of the interests of the unfortunate wards of the State and against the united protests of organized philanthropy. We demand the repeal of all such legislation.

RECREANCY TO PUBLIC TRUST Under the Odell administration neither the Governor nor the Legislature which he controlled has taken official cognizance grave charges publicly made ag supreme Court Justice of this Sta reme Court Justice of the State other scandals.

This recreancy to public duty is in keeping with the whole policy of the present State administration, which has subordi-nated the true welfare of the judiciary to political consideration.

POLITICAL ASSESSMENTS. We denounce the system, put to practical use in this campaign, of levying assessments upon the salaries of State employees, which are being collected by State officers, at the head of whom is the Chairman-Governor, by express or implied threats of dismissal. This is a flagrant violation of both the civil and criminal law of the State, made doubly demoralizing by the fact that it is doubly demoralizing by the fact that it is perpetrated by the Chief Executive, who is sworn to enforce the law and defend it. We pledge the Democratic party to undertake the prosecution of all such offences.

CANAL IMPROVEMENTS.

The interest of all the people demands that the proposed canal expenditure of \$101,000,000 shall not be intrusted to that political party which through its machine organization and complaisant State officials wasted, soundered and misaryscentification. ted, squandered and misappropriated former appropriation of \$9,000,000 for

canal improvement. We denounce the legislation known as the Raines liquor law, which has fostered immorality as no previous liquor law ever did and which, violating the essential rights of localities, concentrates the entire control of the whole liquor traffic in State officials at Albany, all of one party, with a horde of at Albany, all of one party, with a norde of partisan deputies, attorneys, spice and special agents supported at public expense. This constitutes a powerful auxiliary to a political machine which is relentlessly used for purposes of favoritism, intimidation and political advantage.

Excise reform is demanded for the best interests of this great State and its numerous comproliting cities.

PURITY OF THE BALLOT. We call attention to the failure of the We call attention to the failure of the Republican party to take steps to stop corrupt practices at elections. We favor the passage of a law providing that where a candidate shall have been elected by corrupt practices of himself, his agents or committees, his election shall be annulled and he shall be debarred thereafter from holding office in this State for a period of years, and providing a short form of procedure for effecting such annulment through the courts of this State.

ous cosmopolitan cities.

SAVINGS BANK TAX.

We reiterate our opposition to the Odell tax upon the surplus of savings banks, which is an unnecessary and oppressive tax, as well as a crude and unscientific imposition upon those least able to bear the burden. This unjust law was advocated by the present Republican candidate for Governor, who supported and voted for it when a member of the Senate. The plank in the Republican State platform recently adopted, if sincere, is a confession of a Republican wrong and blunder; if insincere and disingermous it warrants repular suspicion as to the good faith of the entire Republican policy of special SAVINGS BANK TAX.

and indirect taxes. We pledge the Demo-cratic party to the abolition of the savings bank tax.

The patronage and powers of the two in-The patronage and powers of the two in-consistent offices of party chairman and Gov-ernor, unscrupulously combined and used, enabled their holder to control absolutely every act of the recent Republican State convention. He dictated a plank of ful-some laudation of his administration and directed the selection of every man on the Republican State ticket.

ODELLISM THE ONE ISSUE. There is thus presented to the people an issue broader than any merely partisan question, namely: Shall the methods and administration of Gov. Odell be indorsed and continued:

and continued?
This the people must decide.
The Democratic party if successful at the polls pledges itself to divorce the State from corruption and "graft." CIVIL SERVICE BEFORM

We favor an honest and just enforcement of the State civil service laws, according to their letter and spirit. The present State administration, by evasion of the Constitution, by official jugglery and by a multitude of indefensible exemptions all for the accomplishment of political purposes and the securing of partisan advantages—successfully nullified these laws and rendered them practically ineffective for the betterment of the public service.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS. Not even the public school and educational system of the State has been exempt from the political thralldom of those who now control the State government. We denounce the so-called unification bill as in many respects a piece of Republican lay-poerisy. The Republican Legislature, in choosing a non-partisan board of elayer choosing a non-partisan board of eleven Regents, who are to have general super-vision of the educational system of the State, rision of the educational system of the State, selected ten Republicans and one Democrat. The same Republican Legislature enacted a law providing that these Regents shall be chosen on joint ballot of the Legislature, in the hope that under the present unfair Legislative apportionment the Republican party will have perpetual control of the public schools, academies, colleges and universities.

versities.

We are in favor of removing the public

We are in favor of removing the public schools and the entire educational system of the State from the reaim of partisan politics, and to that end demand that a fair and honest representation on the Board of Regents shall be at all times accorded the minority party, whichever party that may

GOOD ROADS AND GRADE CROSSINGS. We favor the construction of good roads Such roads should be built under a wise and comprehensive plan of safeguarding the interests of the taxpayers and avoid-ing the defects of existing laws, which permit disjointed and fragmentary construc-tion instead of a complete and intercom-municating system. We demand that the present grade crossing law be enforced and all grade crossings abolished as rapidly as possible.

NATIONAL PLATFORM INDORSED. We indorse the Democratic national platform and resolutions adopted at St. Louis in July last as a complete exposition of Democratic principles and policies, upon all the living issues of the present time. We approve the sound sentiments so admirably expressed by our national candidates in their speeches of acceptance.

FAVOR HOME BULE. We favor local self-government for municipalities. We are opposed to the constant centralization of power in the State government to the detriment of localities, and if any constitutional changes be deemed necessary to cure this evil we pledge our

necessary to cure this evil we pledge our-selves to aid in their enactment. We favor the traditional Democratic policy of the acquisition by the State of lands in the Adirondack and Catskill parks

NATIONAL CANDIDATES INDORSED.

We cordially indorse the Democratic nominations for President and Vice-President and Vice-President of the United States. New York has been greatly honored by the Democracy of the nation in the selection of the candidate whom it presented for the Presidency. An able jurist, an unewerving Democrat from his earliest participation in public affairs, a firm believer in constitutional government, a bold defender of the rights of the people, always consistently and sincerely a friend of all who labor, never an advocate of special privileges, ever an opponent of monopolistic combina-NATIONAL CANDIDATES INDORSED. ever an opponent of monopolistic combina-tions, which oppress the people, his elec-tion to the Presidency will signalize a return to the paths marked out by the founders of our republic. His associate upon the ticket is a self-made man, long iden-tified with large business interests, whose success in commerce strikingly illustrate success in commerce strikingly illustrates the results that may be won by individual merit under political institutions which open equal opportunities to all, who has served the people and his party with fidelity and wisdom in the Senate of the United States and who in the Vice-Presidency will sustain the best traditions of that high and honorable office.

ble office. VICTORY PREDICTED. The signs of the times point auspiciously to a Democratic triumph. Not in many years have the independent voters mani-fested so decided a disposition to act with the Democratic party. Even in a hopelessly Republican State like Maine there has been a great Democratic reawakening, a marked increase in the Democratic vote and a sweeping reduction in the Republi-can plurality of nearly 8,600 from that of

The pulsary of the Democracy of the nation that the electoral vote of the Empire State shall be cast for Alton B. Parker and Henry G. Davis.

ODELL SAYS "PLL BEAT HIM." Satisfied With Herrick's Nomination-So Are Democrats.

"The Democratic ticket suits me per

fectly," Governor-Chairman Odell said last night, "because it is one that we will have no difficulty in beating." Chairman William Barnes, Jr., of the

executive committee of the Republican State committee spoke somewhat similarly. The Governor-Chairman told some of his friends that if Shepard, Grout or Jerome had been nominated the Republicans might have had some reason for fear. but that with the nomination of Judge Herrick they had nothing to be afraid of. The Democratic leaders to be found in The Democratic leaders to be found in this city last night also expressed satisfaction. Comptroller Grout said that the convention had made an excellent selection in deciding upon Judge Herrick, and added that the nomination would harmonize the different factions in the State. De Lancey

Nicoll said:
"The ticket from top to bottom will prove eminently satisfactory to all factions of the Democratic party both in the city and State. Judge Herrick will obtain the support not only of the voters of his own party, but of the Republicans who are dissatisfied with Odellism. There are thousands of these in the State, and it only requires a man of such integrity as Judge Herrick to head the Democratic ticket to bring these malcontents into the Democratic fold."

HERRICK CONGRATULATED.

Judge Parker, D. B. Hill, Mayer McClellan and Daniel S. Lamont Send Telegrams. ALBANY, Sept. 21 .- Justice D. Cady Herrick received many telegrams of congratulation upon his nomination. One of the first to extend greetings was Juage Alton B. Parker. The Democratic Presi-

dential candidate telegraphed. "Accept my hearty congratulations. The action of the convention assures the party a good candidate and the people a good Mayor McClellan of New York tele-

graphed:

"Heartiest congratulations your nomina-tion, which points to a great Democratic victory in November." Among other messages were the follow-

ing:
Daniel S. Lamont—I am greatly pleased
and send you my cordial congratulations.
George M. Palmer—Accept hearty congratulations.

David B. Hill—Congratulations.

Telegrams also came during the evening from Edward M. Grout, Charles F. Murphy, William F. Sheehan, Bird S. Coler, Cord Meyer and others.

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SERENADE TO HERRICK.

He Says That He Will Be His Own Master -Harrison and Hill Also Speak.

ALBANY, Sept. 21 .- A serenade was tendered to Justice D. Cady Herrick and Representative Francis Burton Harrison, the Democratic candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, at 11 o'clock to-night by the Albany Democratic Club and citizens of Albany on the return of the

club from Saratoga. The members of the club marched from the station in the glare of colored lights to the Justice's home on Washington evenue. The Justice and his family had been apprised of their coming, and Representative Harrison had preceded them to the Herrick home. Great cheering greeted the candidates when they appeared on the

porch of Justice Herrick's residence. Justice Herrick was fellow townsmen by State Committeeman McCabe, who in a short speech said that he and his fellow citizens desired to congratulate Justice Herrick on his nomination. No Democrat in New York State felt more keenly or appreciated more highly the distinction that had come to Albany in Mr. Herrick's nomination. He called on Albany Democrats to do their whole duty by the ticket, as he should do his with the

greatest fervor. Justice Herrick, after the cheers and applause had given him opportunity, spoke

as follows: GENTLEMEN OF THE DEMOCRATIC CLUB. CITIZENS OF ALBANY: From the bottom of my heart I thank you for this demonstration. I think you all understand that the honor which has been conferred upon me has come unsought, unsolicited. My hopes and aspira-

which has been conferred upon me has come unsought, unsolicited. My hopes and aspirations were for a professional honor with which I might round out my career. You will not expect me to make a speech at this time upon the issues of the campaign.

All I can say to you is I have lived among you for over thirty years. You know me; you have made me what I am; you will soon be called upon to pass judgment upon my fitness for the great office to which I have been nominated. In doing so bear in mind that I have always been my own master; that if elected, while I will court and welcome the advice and assistance of public men, I will be Governor of and for the people, and not for a party, and will, to the utmost of my ability, strive to give the people an honest and efficient administration.

A word to the Democrats present: Bear in mind that the better I serve all the people of the State the better service I render to the party that has nominated me. Also let me say to you that I hope I am a large enough man to rise above factions and, while not ignoring or abandoning old friends, treat all men fairly who support the Democratic ticket.

Representative Harrison was next introduced and expressed the pleasure he felt at being able to be present at the enthusiastic neighborly greeting tendered to Justice Herrick. He said, it was a great thing for the city of Albany that Justice Herrick had been nominated, that it was a great thing to have been nominated by a Demogratic convention and a harmonium concretic convention and a harmonium concratic convention and a harmonious vention, but a greater thing to have been named on a ticket which was destined to sweep the State and achieve a great victory.

Mr. Harrison paid tribute to the genius Mr. Harrison paid tribute to the genius of David B. Hill in securing the nomination of the ticket, which all believed to have been the best that could have been named, In closing, Mr. Harrison paid a warm tribute to Judge Parker, who, he declared, was the Moses who would lead them to victory. Justice Herrick again stapped forward the Moses who would lead them to victory.

Justice Herrick again stepped forward when Representative Harrison had concluded and introduced David B. Hill as the tried leader of the Democracy of the State. Mr. Hill congratulated his fellow citizens on the nomination of Justice Herrick, which was, he declared, a moet important event in the city's history. He congratulated his hearers on the ticket, which had been nominated after the most harmonious convention the party ever held in this State.

The times were favorable for the success of the Democratic party in the campaign now opening. The people, he said, wanted a change. They were tired of Republican rule, and all that was necessary was for which event there could be no doubt of the outcome of the fight.

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Mr. Hill was hoarse from his efforts at Saratoga, but his audience was in deep sympathy with him and the cheers given him were most hearty. That State Committeeman McCabe should act as master of ceremonies at Justice Herrick's house, and that accompanying him was Eugene D. Wood, not only surprised but pleased Democrats of all factions, especially when they realized the personal and political enmity which has existed between the two factions of the party heretofore in this city. factions of the party heretofore in this city

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SARATOGA, Sept. 21.-Senator Patrick Henry McCarren and 300 of the Kings county Democrats had a celebration to-night at the Grand Union. Senator McCarren made a felicitous speech to his followers. urging the sturdiest support of the Herrick and Harrison ticket. Tammany Chieftam Murphy and William A. Doyle, the anti-McCarren leader of Kings county, spent the evening together at the lake.

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